

Jun 12, 2019

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

SEAN F. McAVOY, CLERK

RONALD LEE BASKETT,
Plaintiff,

v.

SPOKANE COUNTY, C/O BYINGTON,
HANNAH ELIZABETH STEARNS,
KYLE ZELLER, C/O MOLLHOLAND,
C/O HENDERSON/ C/O MORRIS, C/O
LAURBEAU, C/O MALLORY, C/O
RILEY, C/O CRANE, C/O JIMINEX, C/O
WATCHEL, and C/O BENNETT,
Defendants.

2:19-cv-00020-SAB

**ORDER DENYING LEAVE TO
PROCEED *IN FORMA*
PAUPERIS AND DISMISSING
ACTION**

By Order filed April 18, 2019, the Court directed Plaintiff to show cause why his application to proceed *in forma pauperis* should not be denied. ECF No. 19. He did not file a response. In the alternative, Plaintiff was instructed he could pay the \$400.00 fee (\$350.00 filing fee, plus \$50.00 administrative fee) to commence his action under 28 U.S.C. § 1914. He did not do so. In addition, Plaintiff has not kept the Court apprised of his current address and has filed nothing further in this action.

As noted in the prior Order, given that Plaintiff has brought at least three other cases that were dismissed as frivolous, malicious or for failure to state a

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1 claim, it appears he has lost the privilege of filing additional suits *in forma*
2 *pauperis* unless he can demonstrate that he is “under imminent danger of serious
3 physical injury.” 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g); *Andrews v. Cervantes*, 493 F.3d 1047, 1053
4 (9th Cir. 2007). Plaintiff has not made this showing.

5 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

- 6 1. Plaintiff’s Application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, ECF No. 2, 10, is
7 **DENIED.**
- 8 2. This action is **dismissed** for non-payment of the filing fee as required by
9 28 U.S.C. § 1914.
- 10 3. All pending motions are **dismissed** as moot.
- 11 4. The District Court Executive is directed to enter judgment in favor of
12 Defendants and against Plaintiff.
- 13 5. The Court certifies any appeal of this dismissal would not be taken in
14 good faith.

15 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Executive is directed to enter this
16 Order, forward a copy to Plaintiff and close the file.

17 **DATED** this 12th day of June 2019.



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24 Stanley A. Bastian
25 United States District Judge
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